

**NORTH PROVIDENCE TOWN COUNCIL
NORTH PROVIDENCE TOWN HALL
COUNCIL CHAMBERS
2000 SMITH STREET
NORTH PROVIDENCE, RI 02911**

**REGULAR MEETING June 2, 2015
7:00 p.m.**

MEMBERS PRESENT:

- **CALL TO ORDER**
- **SALUTE TO FLAG (PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE)**
- **MOMENT OF SILENCE**

1) ACCEPTANCE OF

**MEETING MINUTES:: Minutes from meetings of April 27, May 5,
May 7 and May 12, 2015 to be accepted/approved by the Town
Council.**

2) AUDITOR/AUDITOR GENERAL:: Mayor Lombardi requests discussion, update and possible vote on the Auditor and Auditor General.

3) TRASH REMOVAL:: Mayor Lombardi requests discussion on trash removal. (This item was continued from the May 5, 2015 Regular Town Council Meeting.

PROPOSED ORDINANCES: Notice was given of a Public Hearing on this day whereby the Town Council would consider passage of the following proposed ordinances.

4) OPERATING BUDGET

ORDINANCE 15-005: Adoption of 2015/2016 Operating Budget Ordinance #15-002.

5) ORDINANCE INTRODUCTION:: Introduction of Ordinance with discussion and vote

relating to reallocation of fiscal year 2015 Town Council Allotment to fiscal year 2016 expenditure.

6) VENDOR LICENSE:: Town Council to consider the approval of a Vendor

License to sell fireworks from Keith Lambert d/b/a Keystone Novelties Distributors, LLC. at 1350 Mineral Spring Avenue.

7) PEDDLER LICENSE:: Town Council to consider the approval of a Peddler

License from Keith Lambert d/b/a New England Novelty to sell novelties at Notte Park for the Independence Day Celebration.

8) VICTUALLING LICENSE:: Town Council to consider the approval of a Victualling

**License for Betty's Restaurant at 1075 Charles Street.
(Restaurant has a New Owner)**

9) EXTENDED HOURS LICENSE: Town Council to consider the approval of an Extended Hours

License for Betty's Restaurant at 1075 Charles Street.

(Restaurant has a New Owner)

10) PEDDLERS/VENDOR LICENSE:: Town Council to consider the approval of a Peddlers/Vendor License from Saverio I. Giusti, dba Haven Brothers Diner, 72

Spruce Street, Providence, RI

11) BLOCK PARTY: Town Council to consider the approval/permission for residents of Plymouth Road to have a Neighborhood Block Party on July fourth of this year.

12) SPEEDING ISSUES ON KENTLAND/AUDUBON AVENUE:: Received communication from Lyubov Boguk to address the Town Council with concerns of Speeding on and around Kentland and Audubon Avenues

13) SPEEDING ON HIGH

SERVICE AVENUE:: Received communication from Charles Caranci to address the Town Council with concerns of speeding on High Service Avenue.

14) SENIOR TAX EXEMPTION:: Received communication from Alan Ceprano to address the Town Council regarding Senior Tax Exemptions.

15) ROUTE 146 OVERPASS:: Councilman Warren requests discussion and possible vote on the Route 146 Overpass on Mineral Spring Avenue. (This item was continued from the May 5, 2015 Regular Town Council Meeting.)

16) TOWN WEBSITE:: Councilman DeStefanis requests discussion and vote on upgrading the town's website to be more interactive and informative while also ensuring that all departments are utilizing any and all technology available. (This item was continued from the regular May Town Council Meeting)

17) ROSNER AVENUE

TRAFFIC IMPACT STUDY:: Councilman DeStefanis and Councilwoman Brady requests discussion and Vote concerning Rosner Avenue Traffic Impact Study.

18) TIFFANY STREET

ABANDONMENT ON 2/3/15:: Councilman Giusti requests discussion and voted concerning the Tiffany Street Abandonment granted on 2/03/15.

19) SMITHFIELD ROAD:: Councilman Feola requests discussion and vote concerning debris on Smithfield Road.

20) “NO THRU TRUCKING”:: Councilman Feola requests discussion and vote concerning “No Thru Trucking” on a portion of Smithfield Road after certain times.

21) COMMERCIAL TRUCKING

ENFORCEMENT TRAINING:: Councilman Feola requests discussion and voted concerning Commercial Trucking Enforcement Training for North Providence Police Officers.

22) MEDIA INITIATIVE:: Councilwoman Brady requests discussion and possible vote concerning upgrades for streaming the Town Council Meetings. (This item was continued from the May 5, 2015 Regular Town Council Meeting)

23) CODIFICATION OF RECORDS:: Councilwoman Brady requests discussion and possible vote concerning codification of records in the Town Clerk's Office. (This item was continued from the May 5, 2015 Regular Town Council Meeting)

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24) STOP SIGN:: Councilwoman Brady requests discussion and possible vote concerning a stop sign at the corner of Maynard Street and 245 Rosner Avenue.

25) SIDEWALK ORDINANCE:: Councilwoman Catanzaro requests discussion and possible vote on our sidewalks and the removal of trees.

26) BASEBALL FIELDS IN TOWN:: Councilwoman Catanzaro requests discussion and possible vote on the baseball fields in the Town of North Providence.

27) ELIOT AVENUE FLOODING:: Councilwoman Catanzaro requests discussion and possible vote concerning an update regarding Eliot Avenue and surrounding streets flooding issue.

28) BOARD APPOINTMENTS:: Town Council discussion/action with regard to appointments to be made to the following boards:

A) LAND TRUST ADVISORY BOARD (2 APPTS.)

29) ORDINANCE

COMMITTEE REPORT:: Town Council discussion/action with regard to the Ordinance Committee Report to be presented by Councilman Giusti.

30) CLAIMS SUBMITTED:: Town Council discussion/action with

regard to claims received from the following:

A) Farris Maxwell, c/o 1-800 Water Damage/Alliance Restoration, 2158 Plainfield Pike, Cranston, RI

B) Carolyn Sclama, 90D Nipmuc Trail, North Providence, RI

C) Rhonda Kessler, 99 Limerock Road, Smithfield, RI

D) Ann C. Harper, 555 Veazie Street, Apt. 210, Providence, RI